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1. [ ] Met with Chairman Wilbur Mills, House Ways and Means Committee, to bring him up to date on the status of our early retirement legislation. He indicated he had received my letter of last week and said he hoped this was one of the first items the Committee could take up. He indicated that under the parliamentary situation there might be a requirement for introduction of a separate bill. In any event, he said he would look into this immediately and the general impression I received was that we could hope for early action.

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2. [ ] Met with Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, in view of the fact that he is leaving tomorrow for a two-week trip to see if there was any further action on our appropriation letter from Mr. Cannon. Michaels indicated there had been no action and he still has our draft letter. It was agreed that if there was any meeting held during his absence the Agency could discuss the format of the letter with Mr. Mahon since Michaels has mentioned to him that he has the draft in the Committee files.

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3. [ ] Met with [ ] to determine if Senator Morse was going to send any further written queries to the Agency as a result of the hearing last week. [ ] stated that at this time Morse does not intend to pursue this further. [ ] did state, however, that the point on the Agency tie in with the [ ] should be slightly expanded for the record. I said I would look into this and hopefully supply necessary material.

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4. [ ] After checking with Mr. Helms, I made arrangements for William Colby and I to meet with Senator Dodd and his assistant, David Martin, to discuss Viet Nam (this in response to Senator Dodd's request for a meeting with [ ]).

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